## Veterans Day Commemoration November 11, 2011

Valley Forge National Historical Park invites you to join us this Friday at the National Memorial Arch for a special commemoration ceremony for all of America's Veterans. As the birthplace of the American Army, we want to remember and thank the brave men and women who served and are serving our country.

## **Schedule of Events**

## 11am at the National Memorial Arch

- Welcome from Gregg Tinkham, Acting Park Superintendent
- Presentation of colors from one of the D.C. Joint Armed Forces Color Guards
- · National Anthem, performed by a US Air Force Brass Band
- Additional service music will be presented by Bugles Across America, the US Air Force Brass Band, and Scott Entertainment.
- An invocation from Pastor Joyce Anderson of the Haws Avenue United Methodist Church in Norristown and Friends of Valley Forge Park President Don Naimoli.
- A moment of silence and wreath laying for all veterans will conclude the ceremony.

## 11am - 2pm at the Muhlenberg Brigade Area

The Home of the Brave: Park staff, volunteers, and veterans will showcase American
conflicts such as the American Revolution, Civil War, and WWII, providing stories of
first hand experience and educational programming.





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